

Please Direct All Correspondence to Customer Number **20995****AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Applicant : Shults, et al.  
 App. No : 09/447,227  
 Filed : November 22, 1999  
 For : DEVICE AND METHOD FOR  
 DETERMINING ANALYTE LEVELS  
 Examiner : Robert L. Nasser  
 Art Unit : 3736

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

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November 30, 2006

(Date)

Rose M. Thiessen, Reg. No. 40,202

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

(X) Amendment in 9 pages.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

The present application qualifies for Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27.

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
Excess Claims	39 - 55 = 0	2202 (\$25)	0 x 25 =	\$0
Excess Independent	2 - 3 = 0	2201 (\$100)	0 x 100 =	\$0
1 Month Extension	1.17(a)(1)	2251 (\$60)		\$60
			<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>	<b>\$60</b>

(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

(X) A check in the amount of \$60 is enclosed.

(X) Return prepaid postcard.

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